

Page 1 (substitute sheet), before the first paragraph (between lines 1 and 2), insert the following heading:

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-- BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION --;

Page 1 (substitute sheet), cancel the first full paragraph (lines 3 and 4).

Page 4 (substitute sheet), before the first paragraph (line 1), insert the following heading:

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-- SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION --.

Page 7, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following heading:

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-- BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS --.

Page 8, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following heading:

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-- DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS --.

Page 13, after the last line, please insert the following new paragraph:

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(New) Although a preferred embodiment of the invention has been specifically illustrated and described herein, it is to be understood that minor variations may be made in the apparatus without departing from the spirit and scope of the invention, as defined the appended claims.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute attached pages 14 through 18 containing claims 1 through 28 as the translated Preliminary Examination amendment claims.

Before claim 1 (substitute page 14) , insert the following new paragraph:

- - What is claimed is: - -

Claims 3 through 8, 12, 13, 15 through 21, 23 through 28 (substitute), please
rewrite as follows:

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3. (Amended) The milling roller according to claim 1, characterized in that the milling tube (25) is fastened to an end side of the roller base body (19) and is radially supported on the other end side.
4. (Amended) The milling roller according to claim 1, characterized in that the fastening elements (28) comprise flange members projecting radially inward from the milling tube (25).
5. (Amended) The milling roller according to claim 1, characterized in that the milling tube (25) is arranged at a radial distance from the roller base body.
6. (Amended) The milling roller according to claim 1, characterized in that the milling tube (25) axially projects relative to the roller base body (19).
7. (Amended) The milling roller according to claim 1, characterized in that the member connected to the roller base body (19) comprises the transmission unit (32) integrated into the roller base body (19).

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(Amended) The milling roller according to claim 1, characterized in that the milling tube (25) is radially supported at two axially spaced positions on the roller base body (19).

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(Amended) The milling roller according to claim 9, characterized in that the radial guide elements can comprise radially acting tensioning elements (60, 62, 64).

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(Amended) The milling roller according to claim 1, characterized in that, between the milling tube (25) and the roller base body (19), at least one support ring (33) is arranged as a radial guiding element.

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(Amended) The milling roller according to claim 13, characterized in that the at least one support ring (33) is arranged for axial displacement relative to the roller base body (19) and the milling tube (25).

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(Amended) The milling roller according to claim 14, characterized in that the segment rings (62, 62, 64) are wedge-shaped in cross section.

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17. (Amended) The milling roller according to claim 13, characterized in that the at least one support ring (33) comprises a central ring (60) having a trapezoidal shape in cross section and arranged to be axially tensioned against a radially outer ring (62) and a radially inner ring (64) which have an opposite trapezoidal shape in cross-section, and pressing the outer ring (62) against the milling tube (25) and the inner ring (64) against the roller base body (19).

18. (Amended) The milling roller claim 13, characterized in that the at least one support ring (33) is divided into two or more parts in the circumferential direction.

19. (Amended) The milling roller according to claim 1, characterized in that the transmission unit (32) is arranged at the end of the roller base body (19) facing toward the milling roller drive device (11 to 15).

20. (Amended) The milling roller according to claim 1, characterized in that the transmission unit (32) is arranged at the end of the roller base body (19) facing away from the milling roller drive device (11 to 15), and the transmission unit (32) being connected to the milling roller drive device (11 to 15) by a shaft (56) guided through the roller base body (19).

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26. (Amended) The milling roller according to claim 1, characterized in that the roller base body (19) is surrounded by a protective tube (38).

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27. (Amended) The milling roller according to claim 13, characterized in that the protective tube (38) comprises recesses (37) arranged in a uniform distribution at predetermined axial distances on the circumference, for receiving the support ring (33).
28. (Amended) The construction machine comprising a machine frame (2) having a milling roller (18) according to claim 1 arranged or supported therein.

Please add the following new claims:

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29. (New) The milling roller according to claim 11, characterized in that the radial guide elements can comprise radially acting tensioning elements (60, 62, 64).
30. (New) The milling roller according to claim 14, characterized in that the at least one support ring (33) is arranged for axial displacement relative to the roller base body (19) and the milling tube (25).
31. (New) The milling roller according to claim 15, characterized in that the segment rings (62, 62, 64) are wedge-shaped in cross section.
32. (New) The milling roller according to claim 24, characterized in that the protective sleeve (39) projects from the supporting ring (33).